

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of: **Takenori GOTO**

Group Art Unit: **2815**

Serial No.: **09/888,419**

Examiner: **NGUYEN, Joseph H.**

Filed: **June 26, 2001**

Confirmation No.: **9498**

**NITRIDE BASED SEMICONDUCTOR LASER DEVICE AND METHOD OF
FABRICATING THE SAME**

Attorney Docket No.: **010802**

Customer Number: **38834**



AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

December 30, 2003

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	Claims Remaining After Amendment	Highest Number Previously Paid For		Present Extra	Small Entity	Large Entity	Additional Fee
Total Claims	41	21	=	20	X \$9	X \$18	\$ 360
Independent Claims	4	3	=	1	X \$43	X \$86	\$ 86
First Presentation of Multiple Dependent Claims					\$145	\$290	
							\$ 446.00

XX Enclosed please find our check in the amount of **\$ 1,526.00**. This check includes \$ 770.00 for the RCE, \$ 310.00 for the Extension of Time (partial) and \$ 446.00 for the additional claims fee in connection with this amendment.

XX The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment for any additional fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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